MAXIME YOUR MONEY BIBLICAL PRINCIPLES FOR GOOD MONEY MANAGEMENT

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7 PRINCIPLES TO LIVE BY PART 3

Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life.

1 TIMOTHY 6:17-19

Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

MATTHEW 6:19-21

You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous...

2 CORINTHIANS 9:11

1. Dependence: Rely on God.

Dependence

2. Accounting: Know the facts.

Detail

3. Saving: Prepare for the future.

Discipline

4. Contentment: Be wise with debt.

Debt

5. Budgeting: Spend intelligently.

Decisions

6. Hard Work: Be industrious.

Diligence

7. Giving: Honor God first.

Delight





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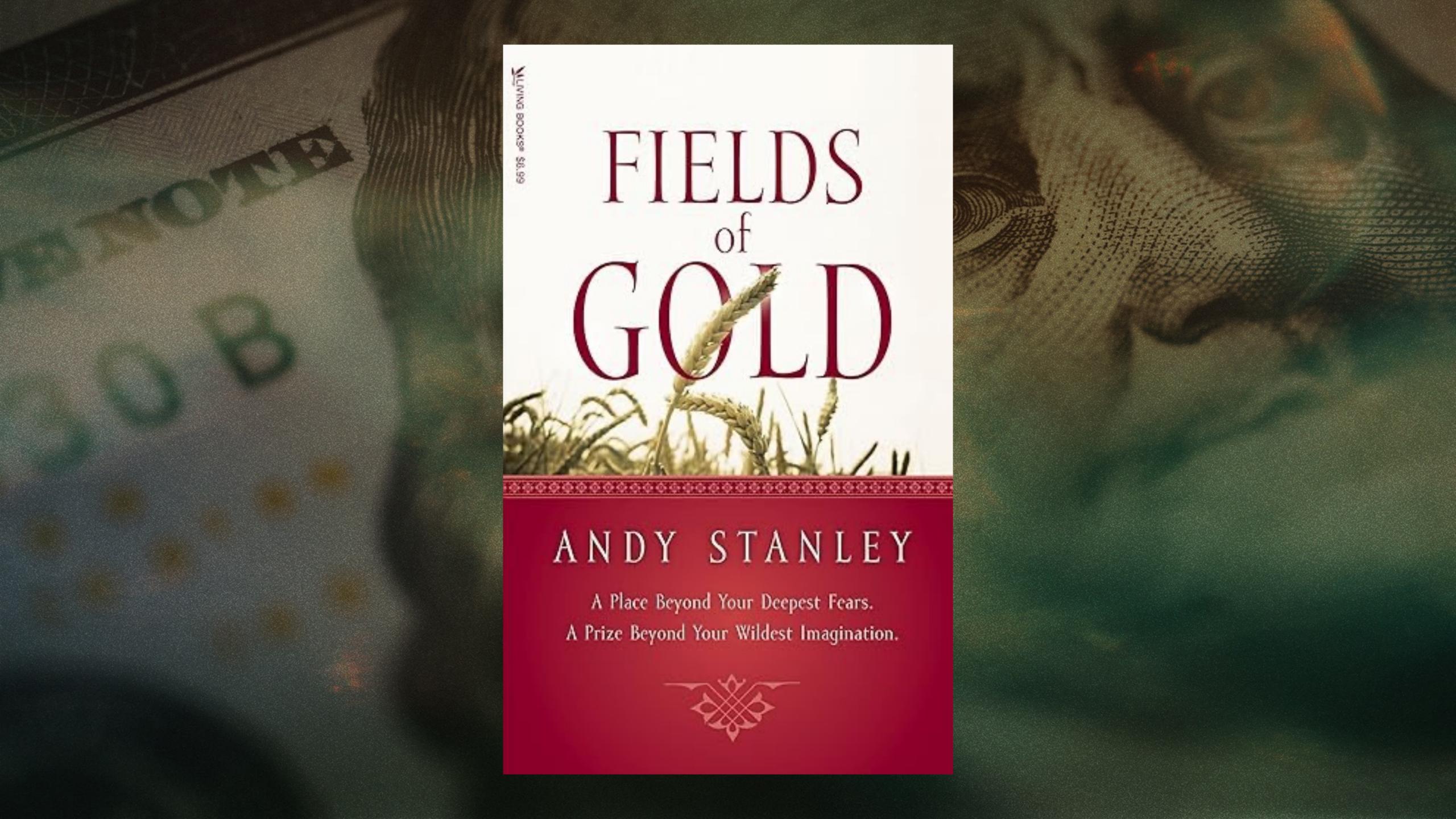
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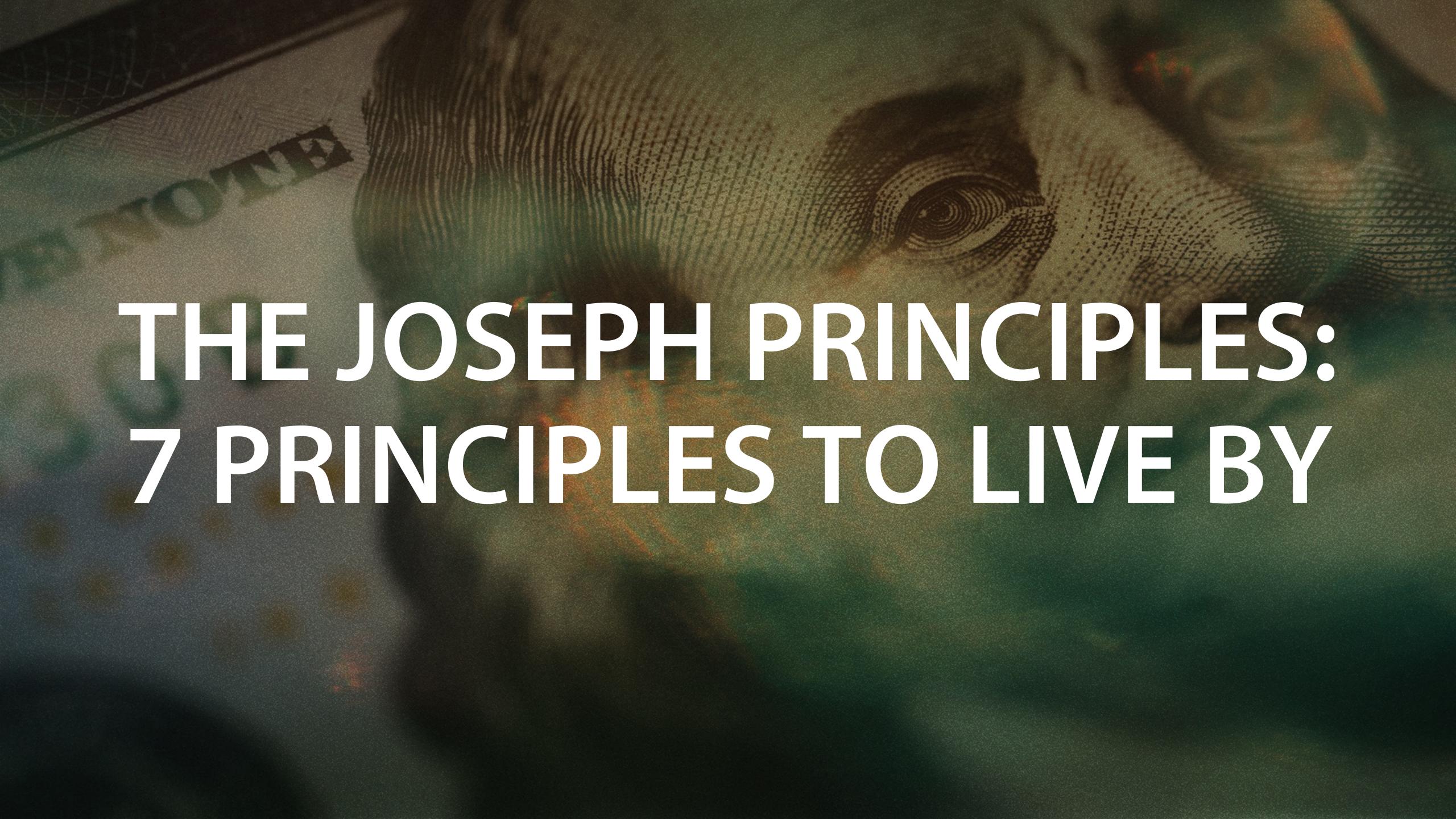
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STRUGGLERS

Having a hard time gaining traction in all 7.





1 DEPENDENCE: Rely on God.

I cannot do it...but God will give Pharaoh the answer he desires.

GENESIS 41:16

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Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.

PROVERBS 3:5-6

2 ACCOUNTING: Know the facts.

... Seven years of great abundance are coming throughout the land of Egypt, but seven years of famine will follow them...

GENESIS 41:25-32

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Riches can disappear fast... so watch your business interests closely. Know the state of your flocks... PROVERBS 27:23-24 (LB)

Get the facts at any price... PROVERBS 23:23 (LB)

SAVING: Prepare for the future.

... Take a fifth of the harvest of Egypt during the seven years of abundance...

GENESIS 41:33-36

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SAVING: Prepare for the future.

The wise man saves for the future...

PROVERBS 21:20 (LB)

...but he who gathers money little by little makes it grow.

PROVERBS 13:11

4 CONTENTIMENT: Be wise with debt.

...But in the whole land of Egypt there was food...

GENESIS 41:53-57

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Indulging in luxuries, wine, and rich food will never make you wealthy.

PROVERBS 21:17 (GNT)

... I have learned to be content...

PHILIPPIANS 4:11

BUDGETING: Spendintelligently.

"...l am Pharaoh, but without your word no one will lift hand or foot in all Egypt..."

GENESIS 41:39-44

BUDGETING: Spendintelligently.

Plan carefully and you will have plenty; if you act too quickly, you will never have enough.

PROVERBS 21:5 (GNT)

...Stupid people spend their money as fast as they get it. PROVERBS 21:20 (GNT)

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And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus...

COLOSSIANS 3:17

Lazy hands make for poverty, but diligent hands bring wealth.

PROVERBS 10:4

GIVING: Honor God first.

...Joseph named his firstborn Manasseh and said, "It is because God has made me forget all my trouble and all my father's household." The second son he named Ephraim and said, "It is because God has made me fruitful in the land of my suffering."

GENESIS 41:50-53

- > Joseph worked hard and smart and served the purposes of God.
- > Joseph served others and took care of the needs of people.
- > Joseph blessed God's work by being faithful in doing what he could with what he had.
- > Joseph lived a fruitful and obedient life and did not give up.

Honor the Lord by giving him the first part of all your income, and he will fill your barns with wheat and barley...

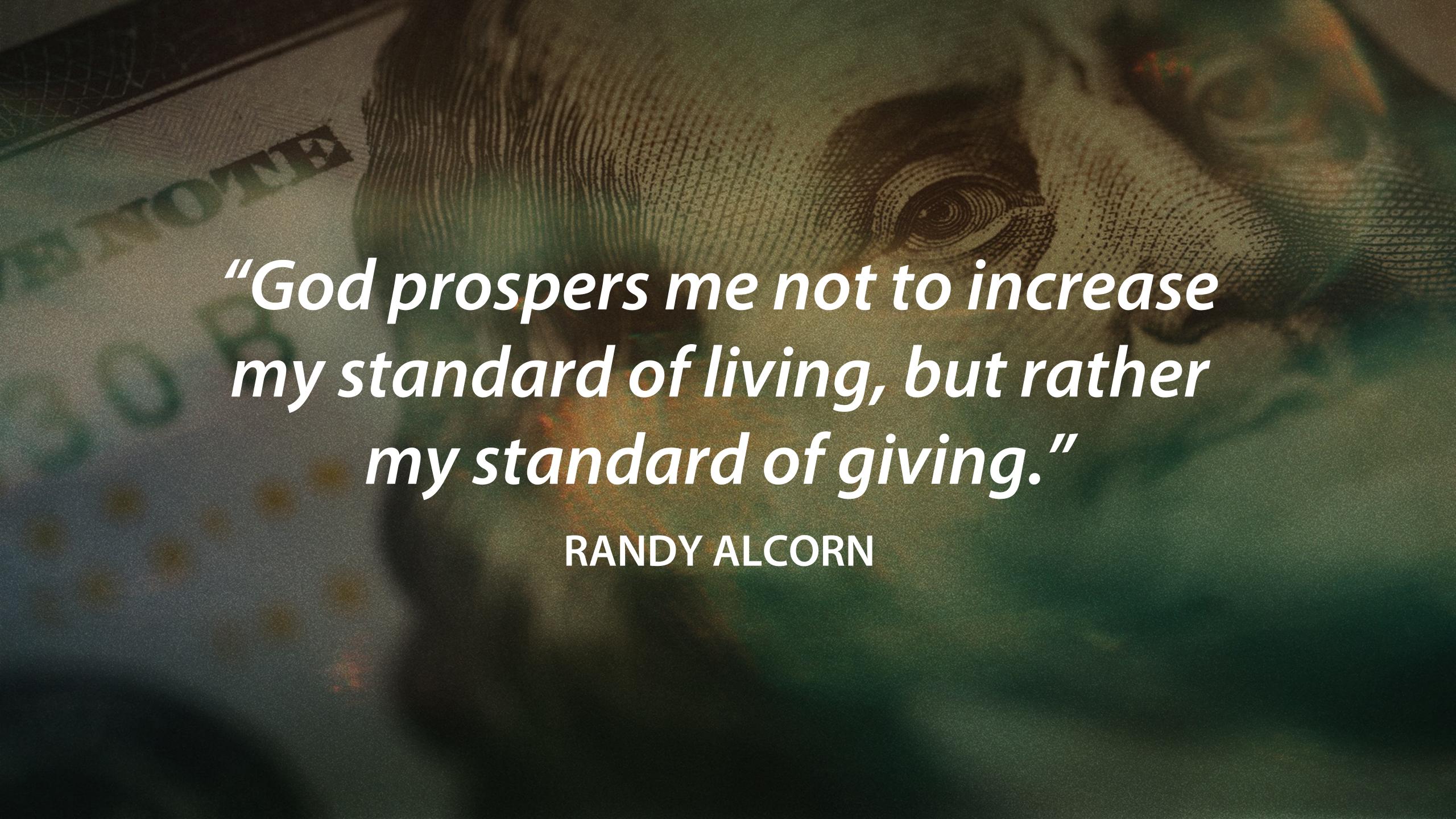
PROVERBS 3:9-10 (TLB)

But seek first the kingdom of God...

MATTHEW 6:33 (ESV)

The generous will themselves be blessed...

PROVERBS 22:9









"Money is NOT the root of all evil. Money reveals your inner character. Were you a jerk before money? You'll be a bigger one with money. Were you a kind person before money? You'll be kinder one with money. Money doesn't make you, it exposes you."

WARREN BUFFET



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1 COR 16:2



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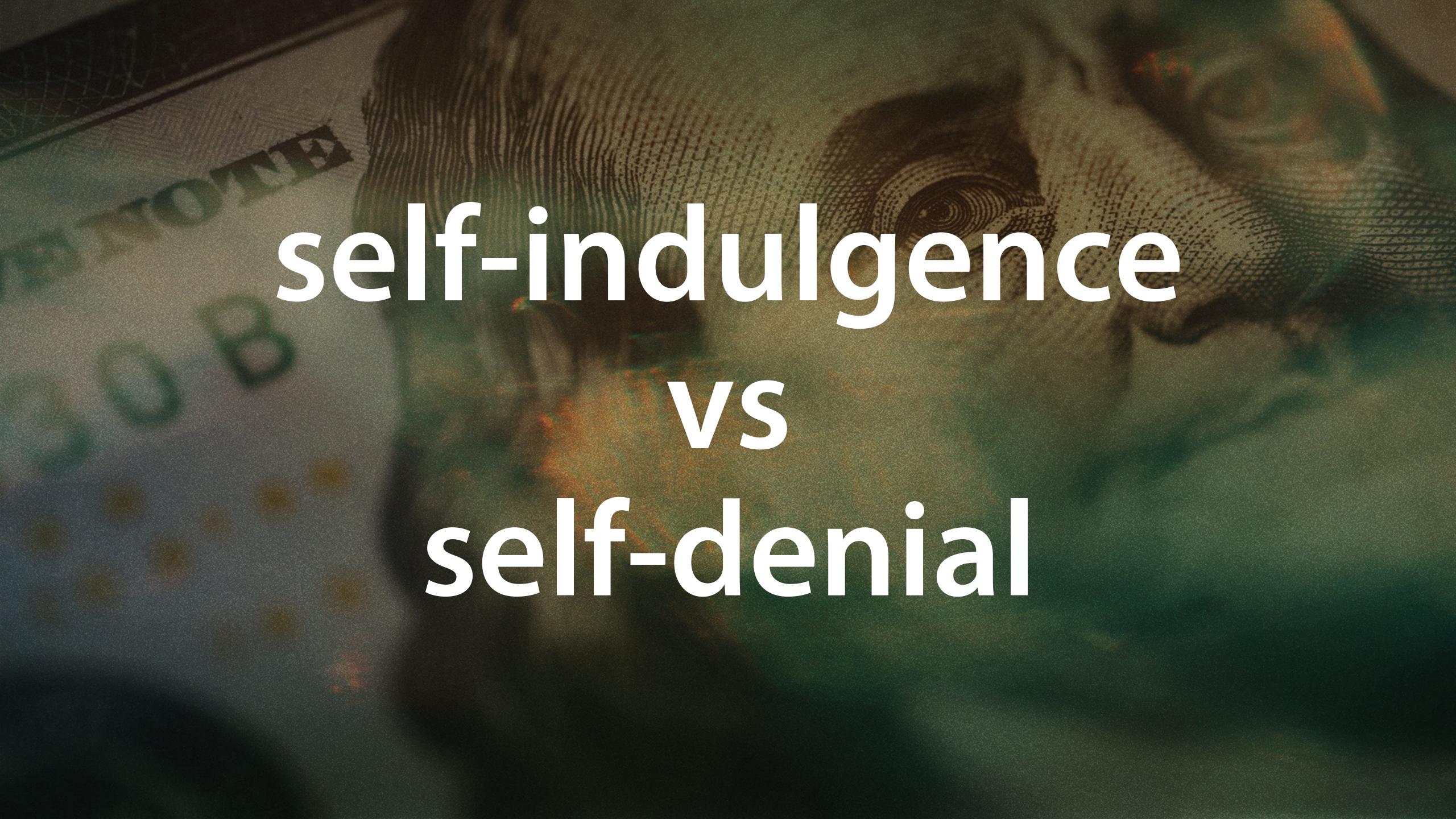
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7. Sacrificially

...gave as much as they were able, and even beyond... 2 COR 8:3



"Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this," says the Lord Almighty, "and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it."

MALACHI 3:10

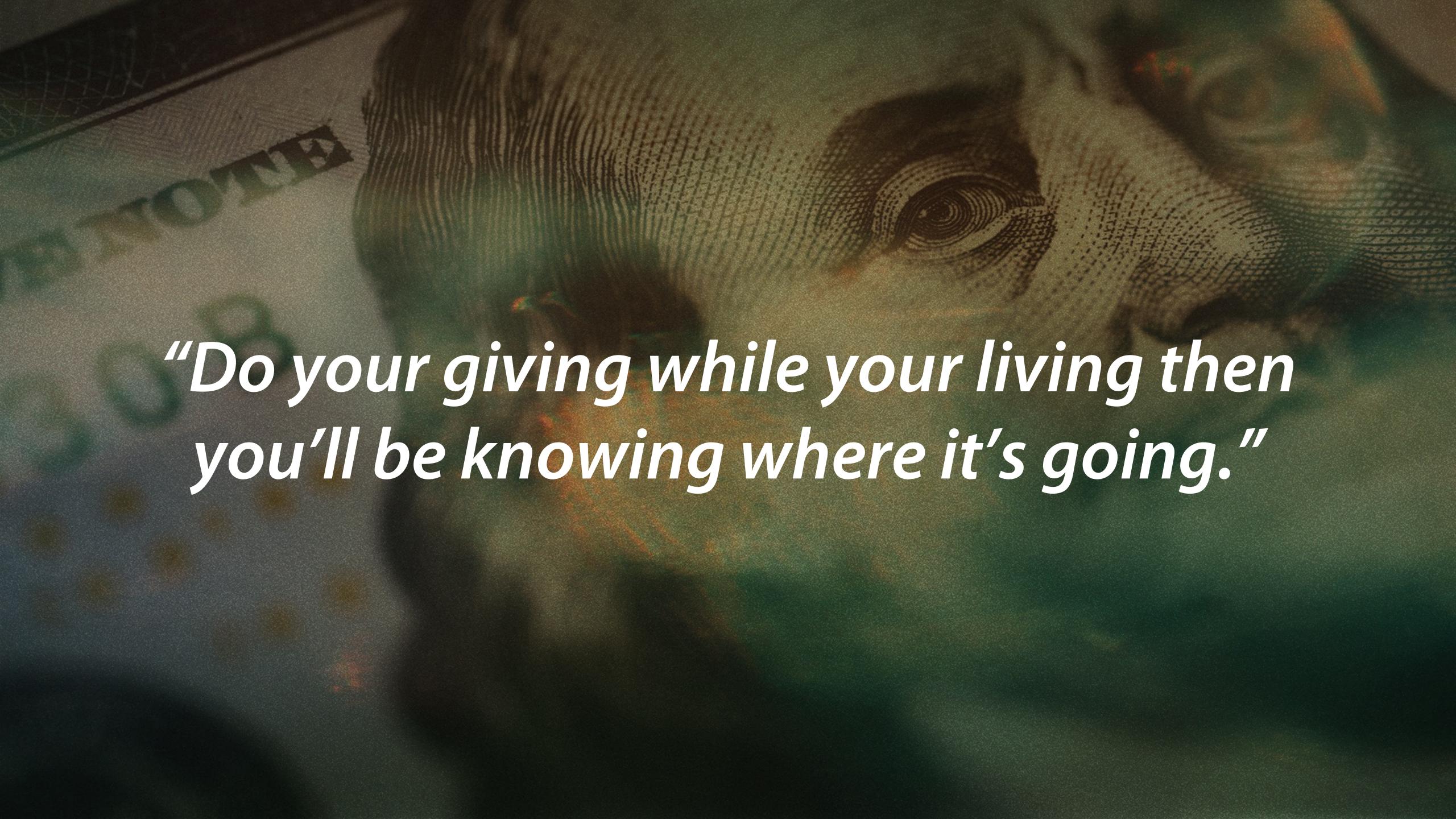
Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You give a tenth of your spices—mint, dill and cumin. But you have neglected the more important matters of the law—justice, mercy and faithfulness. You should have practiced the latter, without neglecting the former.

MATTHEW 23:23

Offerings

... We want you to know about the grace that God has given the Macedonian churches. In the midst of a very severe trial, their overflowing joy and their extreme poverty welled up in rich generosity. For I testify that they gave as much as they were able, and even beyond their ability. Entirely on their own, they urgently pleaded with us for the privilege of sharing in this service to the Lord's people.

2 CORINTHIANS 8:1-4





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